# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# CIVIL AVIATION
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5163
ANSWERED ON:21.12.2000
WITHDRAWAL OF SCHEDULED FLIGHT TO BHUBANESWAR
AVSM, BRIG.(RETD.) KAMAKHYA PRASAD SINGH DEO

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government are aware about the frequent withdrawal of scheduled flights to Bhubaneswar which has caused lot of inconvenience and hardships for tourist to the city; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) and (b): No, Sir. In the Winter Schedule effective 29.10.2000, Alliance Air has restructured some of its services to Bhubaneswar as follows:-

- Delhi/Bhubaneswar/Vizag and return to opeate as Delhi/Bhubaneswar/Vizag/ Chennai and return (4 per week);

- Calcutta/Bhubaneswar/Vizag/ Chennai and return to operate as Calcutta/Bhubaneswar/Vizag and return (4 per week);

Other services of Indian Airlines/Alliance Air are as follows:-

- Delhi/Bhubaneswar/Delhi (3 per week);
- Calcutta/Bhubaneswar/Hyderabad and return (3 per week);
- Mumbai/Raipur/Bhubaneswar/Mumbai (3 per week).

Airlines are free to operate on any route in their commercial judgement subject of course to the compliance with the Route Dispersal Guidelines which provide for certain minimum operations in specified category/routes.